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JOINT EMBASSY/JUSMG MESSAGE

1. WE GREATLY APPRECIATE ADVANCE NOTICE OF FLIGHTS REFTEL.

2. WE CONSIDERED NOTIFYING HIGH GENERAL STAFF AND MFA, BUT CONCLUDED IT PERHAPS BEST NOT RISK ESTABLISHING NEW PRECEDENTS. WE THEREFORE PROPOSE MERELY SEND ROUTINE NOTIFICATION OF FLIGHTS TO SPANISH AIR FORCE WHEN SCHEDULE AVAILABLE. THIS IS PRACTICE FOLLOWED WHENEVER OPERATIONS AT JOINT BASES DEPART NOTABLY FROM NORMAL PATTERN. ASKEW

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E.O. 12958, Sec. 3.5
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By jc, NARA, Date 8-7-01

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